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MEMO ENDORSED

JAMS

ELECTRUM PARTNERS, LLC; LESLIE
BOCSKOR,

Claimants,

v.

CLOUD 12 GROUP, INC.; RUSSELL
MAITLAND, as executor of Estate of
PAMELA JOHNSTON,

Respondents.

Ref. No. 1260004622

**ORDER ON RESPONDENTS'
MOTION TO COMPEL AND
MOTION TO EXTEND
DISCOVERY; SCHEDULING
ORDER #7**

On April 29, 2021, Respondents filed a Motion to Compel and Motion to Extend Discovery. Pursuant to a briefing schedule issued by the Arbitrator, Claimants filed a timely Opposition on May 14, 2021, and Respondents filed a timely Reply Brief on May 18, 2021. Claimants did not significantly oppose Respondents' substantive discovery requests and concurred in the request to extend deadlines to accommodate the necessary discovery still to be completed.

On May 20, 2021, a hearing on the Motions was conducted telephonically. Participants included the Arbitrator, Hon. David T. Wall, Ret; Claimant's counsel Nathan Soowal, Esq.; and Respondent's counsel John T. Brennan, Esq., and Christopher J. Richardson, Esq.

Based upon the pleadings and papers on file herein and the presentations of counsel during the telephonic hearing, the Arbitrator hereby finds as follows:

Respondents' Motion to Compel is GRANTED IN PART and DENIED IN PART. The Motion to Compel is GRANTED to the extent that Claimants are ordered to supplement all of the written discovery requests identified in Respondents' Motion in compliance with the Scheduling Order set forth below. Claimants are also ordered to supplement their initial disclosures to include accurate contact information for witnesses identified therein in compliance with the Scheduling Order set forth below, and to produce Claimant Bocskor, Diane Katz and any FRCP 30(b)(6) witnesses identified by Claimants as responsive to Respondents' requests. The Motion to Compel is DENIED to the extent it requests an award of attorneys' fees and/or costs for the instant Motion, which the Arbitrator declines to award at this time pursuant to FRCP 37(a)(5)(A)(iii). The Motion also requested an Order from the Arbitrator declaring that any failure by Claimants to produce the information required herein will trigger an Order to Show Cause why case-concluding sanctions should not issue. While the ability of any party to seek sanctions is not foreclosed herein, the Arbitrator declines to grant Respondents' request for such an Order at the present time.

Respondents' Motion to Extend Discovery is hereby GRANTED WITHOUT OPPOSITION, which necessitates a continuance of the Arbitration Hearing in this matter. During the telephonic hearing, the following schedule for the proceedings was agreed upon by counsel, and it is hereby ORDERED, as follows:

SCHEDULING ORDER #7

May 28, 2021	Deadline for Claimant to Supplement Initial Disclosures Pursuant to FRCP 26(a)(1)(A)(i)
June 18, 2021	Deadline for Claimant to Supplement Written Discovery Responses
August 13, 2021	Close of Discovery
September 17, 2021	Deadline for Filing Dispositive Motions

October 1, 2021	Deadline for Filing Oppositions to Dispositive Motions
October 11, 2021	Deadline for Filing Reply Briefs re: Dispositive Motions
October 29, 2021	Deadline to Submit Joint Exhibit List with Separate List of Objections to any Joint Exhibits; Deadline to Submit and Serve Arbitration Brief Pursuant to JAMS Rule 20(a) & (b)
November 8-12, 2021	Arbitration Hearing at JAMS Las Vegas office at 9:00 a.m.

Additionally, the Arbitrator hereby notes that, as expressed at the telephonic hearing, the parties have agreed that this Scheduling Order, as amended, provides sufficient time to conduct necessary discovery and prepare for the Arbitration Hearing, as such will not be extended absent extraordinary circumstances.

Miscellaneous

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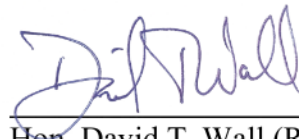
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Dated: May 20, 2021



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Although the above arbitration order submitted by Plaintiff is dated May 20, 2021, the Court understands that this order constitutes Plaintiff's status update and that the arbitration hearing will be held on November 8-12, 2021. Plaintiff is hereby ORDERED to provide a further status update on or before November 19, 2021.

Dated: August 30, 2021
New York, New York

SO ORDERED.



HON. KATHERINE POLK FAILLA
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE